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**ELIZABETHTOWN MAN INDICTED FOR ASSAULTING MILITARY POLICE
OFFICER AT FORT KNOX**

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today the arrest of **STEPHEN M. LINDSEY**, age 28, of 298 Amy Avenue, Elizabethtown, Kentucky, in Hardin County. A federal Grand Jury in Louisville, Kentucky, **returned an Indictment** on September 11, 2006, charging **Lindsey** with assault of a federal law enforcement officer as well as threatening federal law enforcement officers.

The Indictment alleges that on August 5, 2006, **Lindsey** intentionally assaulted a Fort Knox Military Police Officer who was engaged in the performance of his official duties. The Indictment further alleges that **Lindsey** intentionally threatened to assault and murder that officer and another Fort Knox Military Police Officer, with the intent to intimidate and interfere with the law enforcement officers while they were engaged in the performance of their official duties.

If convicted, the maximum potential penalties are 18 years imprisonment, a \$500,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of 6 years.

The case is being prosecuted by Special Assistant United States Attorney Dan E. Stigall, and it was investigated by the United States Army, Fort Knox Military Police Investigations Section.

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Lindsey is scheduled to appear for arraignment before a United States Magistrate Judge on September 19, 2006, at 9:30 a.m. in Louisville, Kentucky.

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The indictment of a person by a Grand Jury is an accusation only and that person is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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